

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This Amendment is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on December 8, 2009.

In this Amendment, claim 62 is canceled because it is duplicative of claim 61. Applicants are filing a Notice of Appeal concurrently herewith. Entry of this Amendment is requested because it reduces the number of issues on appeal.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance and an action to that end is respectfully requested.

Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 20-1430.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-576-0200.

Respectfully submitted,



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